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VIA U.S. Postal and Electronic Mail

Department of Workforce Development Dislocated Worker Unit P.O. Box 7972 Madison, WI 53707

North Central Wisconsin Workforce Development Board 2811 8th Street S. Suite 30 Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54475 (email: info@ncwwdb.oro)

Re: **WARN Notice**

Dear Sir or Madam:

City of Antigo Mayor Bill Brandt 700 Edison Street Antigo, WI 54409

Email: bbrandt@antigo-city.org

Merit Gear LLC will permanently close its manufacturing plant located at N2440 Highway 45, Antigo, Wisconsin 54409. The reductions in operations will result in the permanent layoff and termination of approximately 80 employees at the facility. No bumping rights exist which could affect those to be laid

This reduction in operations and in workforce is presently scheduled to occur in several phases with the last phase scheduled for some time during the first quarter of calendar year 2020.

The Company intends to offer severance benefits and transition programs (including outplacement services) to affected associates. Information concerning the number of affected employees by job title will be maintained at the facility.

The Company will ensure that employees will be paid all earned wages and agreed upon benefits at the time of their termination.

If you have any questions about this notice, please contact me. My direct dial number is 414-233-7659 and my email address is kim.harman@rexnord.com.

Respectfully.

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Kim Harman

V.P. Human Resources